I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted via the Office electronic filing system in accordance with § 1.6(a)(4).

Dated: April 17, 2008 Electronic Signature for Barbara A. Saltsman:

/Barbara A. Saltsman/

Docket No.: 283-412

(PATENT)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of: David Sperduti et al.

Application No.: 10/825,088 Confirmation No.: 7165

Filed: April 15, 2004 Art Unit: 3687

For: Proximity Transaction Apparatus and Examiner: John Y. Shin

Methods of Use Thereof

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 17, 2008, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.